



Parent Information Sheet

Thank you for registering your child for St. Mary's VBS program! We have listed important information below to help you in planning for a successful week at our VBS! If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 409-948-8448 and leave a message for us. Your call will be returned as soon as possible each day.

Monday, June 19 – VBS begins at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 12:00 Noon each day. Your child will be given their VBS T-shirt today. They are encouraged to wear them often during the week!

Tuesday, June 20 – Our silly contests begin! Today will be **SILLY SOCKS!** The sillier the better!

Wednesday, June 21 – Today is **CRAZY HAT** day! We are looking for the most crazy and creative hat!

Thursday, June 22 – Today will be **MISMATCH** day! Crazy clothes combinations are what we are looking for today!

Friday, June 23 – Today will be **CRAZY HAIR** day! Use your imagination and create some hair masterpieces!

Prizes will be awarded each day for the best in each category as judged by our kitchen crew! Get creative and have fun!

Sunday, June 25 – **ALL adults, crew leaders and children are asked to come to our 9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Church with their VBS shirt on and sing our theme song for the congregation! Please participate in this! Everyone is welcome!**

Additional Information:



Tuesday, June 20 - We will begin asking kids to bring money to support our Operation Kid to Kid project to provide clean water for the children in Peru. We encourage you to let them earn their donation by doing extra chores at home or for family members. We will watch the money fill up in a special donation jar and a check for the amount collected will go to Catholic Relief Services. You may also send checks, payable to St. Mary's Church. For more information visit www.crs.org/stories/every-day-world-water-day



Thursday, June 22 – Our game of the day will involve water! You are welcome to send a change of clothes in a marked gallon zip lock bag for your child, if you wish. Just be aware, they may be wet when you pick them up on Thursday!

Friday, June 23 - We will wrap up our fun week with a hot dog lunch for kids and families. Please plan to join us by 10:45 a.m. and see your child perform our theme song, watch our video from the week and eat lunch with your child. We will be sending home a RSVP form on Wednesday. Please return it on Thursday so we can provide enough food for everyone on Friday.

Finally, we would like to remind parents to leave cell phones and all valuables at home this week. If bringing a cell phone is a true necessity, please know that they will not be allowed to have them out during the VBS sessions. After one warning, the phone will be placed in a zip lock bag with your child's name on it in a secure area and it will be returned to them at the end of the day. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we try to unplug the kids from their cell phones for a few hours this week!